is therefore prayed that a separate person be appointed solely for the school.

Reply of Government.—The matter will be considered.

SUBJECT No. 416.

Repairing the Hirikere tank.

Mr. Venkataramaiya, Hole-Narsipur Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The Hirikere tank, which is 200 or 300 acres in extent, is situated a mile from Hole-Narsipur above the Sriram Devaru Dam South Channel. There are about 20 acres of wet land under cultivation below the tank. As Government did not pay attention to the repairs of this tank, it is silted up 5 or 6 feet from the bund level. As earth is dug just near the bund for the bund repairs, big hollows have been formed 30 or 35 feet deep. Water from this tank is useful to lands below the South Channel. As the South Channel sluice is higher than that of the North Channel, water is insufficient at the time when crops are in ear and much inconvenience is experienced by raiyats. It is prayed therefore that the tank be repaired and water supplied when the channel water is insufficient. If this is done, about 500 acres more of land will be fit for wet cultivation below the South Channel and both Government and the people will be profited thereby.

Reply of Government.—The matter will be referred to the Public Works Department.

SUBJECT No. 417.

The Kattipur anikat.

Messrs. Suryanarappa, Venkatasubbaiya and Suryanarayan Setti, Arkalgud Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Between Kattipur (Coorg) and Bharatur (in Alur Sub-Taluk) the anikat which was constructed has breached in the middle to a length of about 20 yards. By restoring this anikat, about half the extent of Arkalgud Taluk may be converted into wet lands thereby profiting the people and Government. The necessary repairs may therefore be done.

Reply of Government.—This cannot be done.

SUBJECT No. 418.

Re-establishment of Sukrawarsante Hobli and Police Station thereat.

Mr. V. Manjaiya, South Mysore Native Planters' Association.

Summary of discussion.—The abolition of the Sukrawarsante Hobli and the removal of the Police Station there has caused much inconvenience to the people. The villages formerly comprised in this hobli have been added on to Kenchammana Hosakote, Yeslur and Saklespur Hoblis. It is impossible for people to cross the Hemavati during the rainy season to go to hobli head-quarters. Kenchammana Hosakote Hobli is now more than 16 miles in length from north to south.

People going to Coorg, Subramanya and other places pass through Sukrawarsante and a weekly fair is held there. It is a central place for a hobli head-quarters. The raiyats are all inconvenienced by the abolition of the hobli, and the musafirkhana and Police Station buildings will soon get into disrepair. The hobli and the Police Station may therefore be re-established.

Reply of Government. The hobli was abolished after careful consideration and cannot be reconstituted. There